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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Commissioner:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter; and
- (2) Response to Election of Species Requirement.

If an Extension of Time under 37 CFR §1.136 is required and has not been separately requested, please consider this Transmittal Letter as including a request for such Extension of Time and as a further authorization to charge any fee for such Extension of Time, as may be required by 37 CFR §1.17, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112. Also, please charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in connection with this matter to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

Respectfully submitted,

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## RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

This is a full and complete response to the Office Action having a mailing date of March 28, 2008. The one month shortened statutory period to respond was set to expire April 28, 2008, making this a timely filed response. In the event this paper is not timely filed, Applicants petition for an appropriate further extension of time. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

In view of the following response, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner continue to conduct a substantive examination on the merits.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.